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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Mission Chain To Provide Speakers

The Florida Chain of Missions Assembly will present three ambassadors in the Pahokee-Canal Point area Feb. 9 and 10, according to plans announced by Miss B. Louise Woodford, state director of the FCMA, at a luncheon meeting of the local FCMA committee and ministers held in the Canal Point Methodist Church Saturday.

Mrs. A. R. Harrington, chairman of the committee, introduced Miss Woodford who said that FCMA this year will sponsor the appearance of speakers in 22 cities throughout the state.

Plans were discussed and arrangements were made for the three speakers assigned to the Pahokee-Canal Point area as follows:

On Feb. 9 at 12 noon Dr. Hugh C. Stuntz, one of the founders of Rotary International, in South America, will address members of the Pahokee Rotary and Lions Clubs at a joint luncheon meeting in Pahokee. At 6:30 p. m. on the same day Dr. Stuntz will be guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Canal Point Lions Club in Canal Point.

Also on Feb. 9 at 1 p. m. Dr. John W. Decker, secretary of the International Missionary Council, will speak to the Pahokee High School students at an assembly in the school auditorium. Later that day at 8 p. m. Dr. Decker will deliver an address in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church in Pahokee.

On Feb. 10 at 8 p. m. Dr. Paul W. Harrison, graduate of Johns Hopkins, who has spent many years in Arabia, will give a talk on "The Near East" in the Pahokee First Methodist Church.

The will be no admission to hear these talks and all interested persons in Pahokee and Canal Point are invited to attend.

Pepper Plants Are Hit By Blight

Pepper growers in the Canal Point area are greatly disturbed over the blight which has hit the pepper crops. Farmers worked hard to pull their plants through the Christmas day flood as well as the Thanksgiving freeze. Now, on top of all their expended efforts along comes the blight and it looks like it will take care of the remaining plants. A lot of warm weather and sunshine is needed.

Service Officer To Be In The Glades

Wilbur Kirchman, director of the Glades Veteran Service committee, states that M. E. Fenton, assistant state service officer will be in Pahokee at the Veteran Service office Saturday morning from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon and in Belle Glade Monday from 9:00 a. m. to 11:30 for the purpose of assisting veterans and their dependents with any claim for benefits to which they may be entitled.

The American Legion Auxiliary, Post 90, will conduct a social meeting at the Woman's Club building Tuesday night, Jan. 17.

Baby Show Planned In Pahokee Jan. 20th.

The Home Economics class of Pahokee high school is sponsoring a baby show at the auditorium at 8 p. m. on Jan. 20. Babies between three and five are eligible and entries may be made at Velva El-Hott's office in Pahokee or Carter-Geiger Drug store in Canal Point. The winner will be crowned "Little Miss Pahokee." There is a registration fee of one dollar and all profits from the show will go to defray expenses of the economics class to the Tampa state fair.

Pahokee Methodist Revival Meeting

Dr. Carlisle Hubbard, evangelist from Cambridge, Md., will bring his two weeks' revival at the Pahokee First Methodist Church to a close Sunday, Jan. 15, with services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Dr. Hubbard has been preaching to a large audience each evening during the revival. There will be an evening service tonight at 8 p. m. but none Saturday.

Allan Jones Spills Out Of Moving Car

Allan Jones, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jones of Canal Point, fortunately escaped injury last weekend when one of the doors of the car in which he was riding to Pahokee with his mother flew open and spilled him out to the highway. He was taken to the Everglades Memorial Hospital for a checkup.

County Park Plans Pushed By Rardin

Vice Chairman Paul Rardin Monday placed before and received authorization from the county commission to purchase for \$300 land fronting 232 feet on Conners Highway to be dedicated as a county park in Canal Point.

According to Rardin, the \$300 involved in acquiring the land from the U. S. Sugar Corp., is for clearing a mortgage on the property so that the latter company, which for its part is giving the land it owns to the county, can present a legal conveyance.

The property runs from 180 to 180 feet in depth, the Canal Point Commissioner said. The commission voted unanimously to proceed with the purchase.

At the same time, Rardin laid before the commission a proposal to acquire prison farm land near Belle Glade as a new site for a county barn, to replace the present structure, which he said was once located in an out of the way area, but because of the rapid growth of Belle Glade is now in the heart of the city.

Rardin said the Internal Improvement Board of the State through Nathan Mayo, proposed deeding an approximate six acres to the county, through an arrangement which would not cost more than \$162.50. The county attorney was instructed to proceed with the plan.

The Canal Point commission vice chairman also extended to the county commission an invitation from C. M. Green, superintendent of the Belle Glade prison farm No. 2, to visit the prison farm.

Pahokee Lions Hear Methodist Evangelist

Dr. Carlisle Hubbard, evangelist of Cambridge, Md., who is conducting a two weeks' revival at the Pahokee First Methodist Church, was guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club. He was introduced by Rev. Ralph W. Todd. A special guest at the meeting was Scott Curry, special representative of Lions International, and Mrs. Curry. President Emmett P. Holt presided.

Herald Writer Is Pahokee Speaker

Jack Bell, Miami Herald columnist was guest speaker at the January meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association held Tuesday night in the high school auditorium with the president, Mrs. Horace Unwin, presiding.

Introduced by Mrs. J. C. Schoepel, program chairman, Mr. Bell told of his experiences in Europe while he served in the armed forces in World War I and as a newspaper correspondent in World War II. His talk spotlighted the plight of the children of Europe, especially the many orphans who lost their parents during the war. At the conclusion of his talk he answered questions from the audience.

Mrs. Unwin appointed Mrs. Jess M. Elliott to contact the management of the Prince Theatre and see if arrangements can be made to show the motion picture, "Secret Garden," starring Margaret O'Brien, at the local theatre under (continued on page 8)

Sweetheart Will Be Named Tonight

The Pahokee Future Farmers of America will sponsor a dance for students of the five upper grades of the high school in the Elks Hall this Friday night, Jan. 13, starting at 10 p. m.

The main event of the evening will be the crowning of the new chapter sweetheart for 1950 who is being chosen by popular vote from five candidates representing the five upper classes as follows: Jackie Scruggs, eighth grade; Martha Hall, ninth grade; Wynell Gillis, tenth grade; Myra Lee Cruikshanks, eleventh grade, and Betty Jean Hicks, twelfth grade. Deadline for the voting for the candidates at a penny a vote will be 12 noon today. Proceeds from the contest to select a new chapter sweetheart will be used by FFA boys to finance the dance in order that all students and guests may attend free of charge.

The new chapter sweetheart will be escorted to her throne by Ralph Chaney, chapter president, and she will be crowned by Miss Johanna McKinstry, last year's sweetheart. Albert Graves will act as master (continued on page 8)

Vera Keen Chosen Worthy Advisor To Rainbow Assembly

Miss Vera Keen was elected worthy advisor of the Pahokee Assembly of Rainbow Girls at a meeting in the Masonic Hall Monday night.

Other new officers elected were the Misses Clara Baxter, worthy associate advisor; Patsy Jensen, charity; Janie Hamilton, hope; Shirley Watson, faith; Ivan Weeks, recorder, and Christine Unwin, treasurer.

Appointive officers named by the new worthy advisor included the Misses Shirley Ammons, chaplain; Patsy Geiger, drill leader; Rita Faye Hurt, lover; Ann Thompson, religion; Dorothy Fields, nature; Stella Sue Barnes, immortality; Marie Sapp, fidelity; Pauline Dowling, patriotism; Joan Rosenberg, service; Johanna McKinstry, confidential observer; Ann Lee Hurt, outer observer; Louise Hatton, musician, and Nina Russon, choir director.

Miss Barbara Wilkinson is retiring worthy advisor for the group and Mrs. I. E. Hamilton is the retiring mother advisor. A new mother advisor will be elected at the next regular meeting. The installation of the new officers, open to the public, will be held on Jan. 19 at 7:30 p. m.

The group made plans to sponsor weekly dances for teenagers on Saturday nights and Miss Clara Baxter was named chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

At the meeting Mrs. Hamilton presented service bars to the following members: the Misses Marlene Williams, Rita Faye Hurt, Shirley Watson, Barbara Wilkinson, Vera Keen, Ivan Weeks, Clara Baxter, Joan Rosenberg, Patsy Geiger, Patsy Jensen and Johanna McKinstry.

Board Of County Commissioners Reorganize For 1950



Kenneth Foster, District 1, West Palm Beach; C. Y. Byrd, District 4, Delray; Lake Lytal, Chairman, West Palm Beach; John Prince, District 3, Lake Worth; Paul Rardin, Vice Chairman, Canal Point.

At the organization meeting of the county board Chairman Lake Lytal of West Palm Beach was re-elected for another year after he had been nominated by Vice Chairman Paul Rardin of Canal Point. Delray Beach Commissioner C. Y. Byrd was enthusiastic in his nomination of Rardin for re-election as vice chairman. Both elections were unanimous. Commissioner Foster is the junior member of the board, serving the second year of his first term. Rardin is the next youngest man in the point of service, serving the second year of his second term. Other members of the board are veterans in service of the county.

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News Notes From State Capital

TALLAHASSEE—The spring political season started with Jerry Collins of Sarasota qualifying with Secretary of State R. A. Gray to run for the First District congressional seat. It is held by J. Hardin Peterson of Lakeland, who will retire, Former Attorney General J. Tom Watson of Tampa, and Ed Bentley of Lakeland, who once opposed each other for attorney general, have announced they also will run for the first district post, but neither has qualified. It costs \$625 to jump into this race, 5 percent of the expected salary. Collins is a member of the state legislature, an automobile dealer and chairman of the board for Sarasota Kennel Club. F. D. Bedenbaugh of Lake City qualified to oppose State Senator J. Wofford Lindler of Lake City, and Wayne Ripley, Duval county solicitor, will oppose State Senator John E. Mathews in Duval county.

TALLAHASSEE—Governor Ful-

ler Warren reported back for duty, and began vigorous preparation for the new year, after a rest in the new Tallahassee Memorial Hospital for nervous and physical exhaustion. He told reporters that he will not take the stump for or against any legislative candidate, regardless of whether or not they opposed the sales tax. In a recent radio speech, he singled out 22 senators and 56 representatives who voted for the sales tax, and urged all who benefit to give thanks for their courage.

TALLAHASSEE—The explosive rate case of the Jacksonville Gas Corporation will be the subject of another public hearing here February 8. Chairman Wilbur C. King of the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission announced that they would retain jurisdiction of the company until it can close its 1949 records and present further arguments in support of rates higher than those authorized by

the commission.

TALLAHASSEE—The question of whether the state beverage department has legal authority to buy five high powered (and high priced) automobiles without cabinet approval finally has been tossed to Attorney General Ervin. The department reported it had bought the automobiles and requested payment for them. The cabinet majority balked, saying they didn't need such expensive cars. Some members of the cabinet wanted to shelve the problem, but Secretary of State Gray finally urged successfully that the attorney general be asked about the law on the subject. Meanwhile, the automobiles are in use, the bill for them is in the comptroller's office, and the dealer presumably is holding the bag.

TALLAHASSEE—Attorney General Richard W. Ervin this week gave his opinion on these subjects:

HUNTING—License is forfeited for the remainder of the season if law violation occurs during season; otherwise, for entire next season.

MOTOR VEHICLE—House car is classified as vehicle for private use, not a truck, and maximum fee is \$25.

VOTING MACHINES—Experimental use of voting machines is not authorized to hold election on their permanent adoption.

RESPONSIBILITY—Motor vehicle driver whose license has been suspended under financial responsibility law is subject to criminal prosecution.

SLOT MACHINES—Where machines are seized but owner if freed machines may be returned to him, but he faces immediate arrest for

illegal possession, if the machines in question dispense rewards or prizes in any form.

VETERANS—An alien who has served honorably in the U. S. armed forces is not entitled to be registered by the Florida Board of Massage until he has become naturalized.

FISHING—State Board of Conservation may suspend local law prohibiting "fire fishing" only if such taking of salt water fish would tend to promote their conservation.

SURVEYING—A county surveyor has no right to move a land corner wrongly set by another, but he can make an independent resurvey, submit a plat of his determination to the county commissioners and have them adopt the new land corner as official.

TALLAHASSEE—Hunters are beginning to taper off. They would

up the deer season last Saturday, will end dove shooting January 15, and will stop hunting quail and squirrel and turkey February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Murphy and son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Murphy, in Miami Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collier and children who visited Mrs. Collier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, and her uncle, Harry Kaufman, all of Brooklyn, N. Y., who are winter visitors in Miami this season.

Rep. B. Elliott was a business visitor in Tallahassee this week.

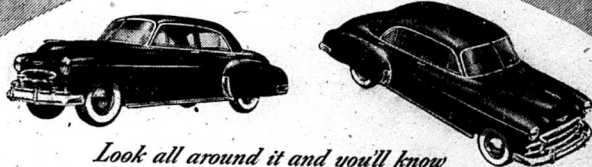
Mr. and Mrs. Audie F. Hooks, Jr., of Clewiston visited friends and relatives here over the weekend.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Why Scoop No Longer Works Here

Scoop Blake paid us a friendly call at the *Clarion's* office last week and we were talking about when he was a reporter here.

"Remember how mad I got when I found out you were writing that election story right from your desk?" I asked him, "And how I made you get out and learn what a sheriff's job was all about?"

"I sure do, Joe," said Scoop, "I want to thank you for teaching me the 'hat-trick'—putting on my hat and finding out the facts, that is." Then we both had a good laugh because he found out so much that

darn if he didn't run and get elected sheriff himself!

From where I sit, we should find out the facts before we try to talk about anything. When we do, we're inclined to be more tolerant... we're apt to understand a little more about the other fellow's preference for, say, his political candidate or for a temperate glass of beer now and then. I say, if you don't want to get tripped up, don't leap to conclusions!

Joe Marsh

"Stewardship" Topic For Methodist Group

Mrs. M. P. Holman, spiritual life chairman, presented a program on "Stewardship" at a meeting of the Pahokee First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at a meeting at the church Monday afternoon. Others taking part on the program were Mrs. John A. Dulany, Mrs. I. J. Frasura, Jr. and Mrs. R. J. Schroder. Mrs. Ruth V. Meredith led in the group singing, with Mrs. R. F. Hurt at the piano.

At the business session with Mrs. Dulany, the president, presiding, Mrs. Hugo Boe, Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, Mrs. E. F. McIlwain, Mrs. Charles Kennen and Mrs. Meredith were appointed on a committee to make arrangements for the annual membership tea. Mrs. Holman was named chairman of the committee in charge of the annual Word Day of Prayer program.

Mrs. Myers Fountain, church nursery chairman, reported a scarcity of toys at the nursery. In order to replenish the supply of toys it was decided that each circle will conduct a "toy shower" at its next meeting with each circle member asked to bring a toy. It was announced that the Mary Martha Circle will be responsible for floral decorations in the church through February and Simonson-Lair Circle members will serve on the greeting committee. Mrs. Robert B. Simonson gave a report on the activities of the newly organized Handy Helpers group sponsored by WSCS.

Mrs. Al Friend, Mrs. J. G. Thomas, Sr., Mrs. D. C. Williams and Rev. Ralph W. Todd were visitors.

Mrs. D. C. Williams of Zachary, La., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lula Pope, in Pahokee.

Spelling Bee For Lions

An old-fashioned spelling bee was featured on the program at the regular dinner meeting of the Canal Point Lions Club Monday night.

Boyd Vorhees, program chairman, introduced Paul Rardin who served as word caller. G. Lawton Sims outspelled his fellow Lions to win the contest. President A. R. Harrington presided at the brief business session.

Dr. Elsberry Moves Office To St. Pete.

Dr. Harold E. Elsberry, who has been a practicing dentist in Belle Glade, for more than 12 years, has closed his office and moved to St. Petersburg, where he will continue his practice in a down town bank building location.

"Doc" has been active in civic work and was a member of the Elks lodge and the Country Club. Doc and Mrs. Elsberry will both be missed.

Dr. Victor Mulberg who has his dental office in the Milton building on West Avenue A., has leased and moved into the Elsberry location where he will continue the practice of his profession.

Miss Christine Meeks of Panama City and her brothers, Cecil and Lambert Meeks, of Chipley have returned home after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Meeks; also with their brother, Alfred Meeks, who was able to return home from Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, Saturday.

Miss Margaret Anderson of Lake City is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson, this week.

Guy Bender Named Fire Chief Again

Guy J. Bender, chief of the Everglades Fire Control District for 14 years, was reappointed Friday by the district board, "to serve at the pleasure of the board," according to Cason Ives, Dade County member.

Mr. Ives said the board also approved its annual budget of \$67,500, adding it is allocated quarterly with the current 10 percent reduction.

The board named C. M. Green, Belle Glade; Mr. Ives and O. D. Hattaway, Indian town, to the executive committee, with Mr. Green as chairman.

District personnel, serving under Chief Bender, were tentatively re-appointed Mr. Ives stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connell had as guests through the holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sganga and son, Paul, of Gainesville; their daughter, Miss Ann O'Connell of New York City and their nephew, Donald Danson, of Tallahassee. Miss Ann O'Connell, who is rapidly becoming one of the top models of the nation, plans to work a short while in Miami before returning to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jackson had as guests Monday Mrs. Robert Rutherford of Couloden, Ga., and Mrs. Albert Shrigley of Stuart.

Rep. and Mrs. George Odell of Dade City were guests of Rep. and Mrs. B. Elliott in Pahokee Sunday.

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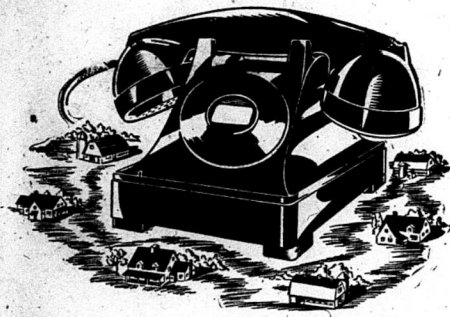
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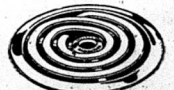
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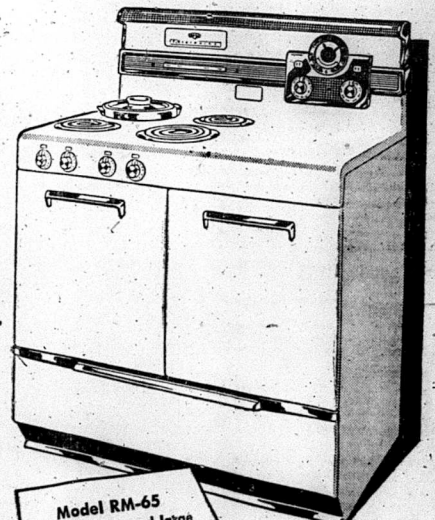
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Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

"Mighty Joe Young", a super-melodrama, brings to the screen of the Prince Theatre, this Sunday-Monday, a gigantic hero of unique temperament, one which is expressed in devastating ferocity and heroic kindness alike.

The title character of the Show, "Joe Young" is a tremendous gorilla.

Reared on an African farm by a little girl, from puny babyhood, and reaching great stature by the time she became eighteen, the gorilla, Joe Young, was consistently tractable and peaceable. This made it possible for an American showman to engage Joe to come to Hollywood in charge of the gorilla's pretty trainer, to serve as a sensational night club attraction.

Ten of the most terrific thrills ever filmed are introduced during the showing of the picture. Matching muscle with ten men and horses Joe resists invasion of his native Africa. Tormented he runs amok, wrecks night club, tosses lions around like kittens. He braves blistering flames of burning building, climbs dizzy heights to rescue children and many other thrilling events.

See you at the movies—Mal.

"Job Security" Film Be Shown Canal Point

Arrangements have been made by the Lions Club of Canal Point to present the 22 minute film, "Florida's Job Security" 7:00 p. m., January 16, A. R. Harrington, President of the Lions Club, announced today.

Arrangements for the showing of this film were made through the Florida Industrial Commission, Harrington said.

The film gives the story of one individual and how he and his family were affected when he lost his job through no fault of his own, and how unemployment insurance helped him until he could find another job. Scenes of Governor Fuller Warren and a statement by him as to what unemployment compensation does for the State are, also included.

"Florida's Job Security" is well localized, containing shots of the Capitol, and Industrial Commission Building and administrative procedures in the machine and tabulating rooms of the State headquarters.

Representatives from the Florida Industrial Commission will be present to show the film and answer any questions regarding this phase of the Commission program.

Wrestling Offers Weirdest Antics

The original French Angel, the weirdest thing in wrestling, will be featured at the American Legion Arena in Lake Worth Monday night. According to Arena officials who are requesting that fans with weak hearts remain away from the match.

It will be up to the fans to decide whether the Angel is man or beast, according to the wrestling authorities, who refused to venture a guess either way. He has been described as both and makes women scream and babies cry upon entering the ring. It was stated: The "monster" with head three times as large as that of a regular man and fingers so large that a fifty cent piece can be dropped through his ring, has caused women to faint on several occasions.

Described as the "missing link", the Angel has a long, oddshaped head, long arms, short legs and an extremely hairy body which gives him an Ape-like appearance.

There is no advance in prices, Arena officials stated, but urged fans to make reservations early. General admission tickets will go on sale at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Miss Lois Morgan will leave today by plane for St. Louis, Mo., where she will enroll at the Gradow School to study medical laboratory technique. Miss Morgan, attended Florida State University, Tallahassee, the past year.

Commission Thanks Public For Goodies Sent To County Home

The Palm Beach County commission went on record Monday as publicly commending the more than 35 individuals and organizations which assisted in making it a Merry Christmas for the children at the county children's home.

County Commission Chairman Lake Lytal said that it was "a great Christmas for the children—not only because many people and groups had seen to it that they had everything needed for a holiday—but in addition, because unlike in other years, not a child in the home suffered from even a 'tummy ache' from putting away too much candy and nuts."

Chairman Lytal said letters had been sent out to everyone who had contributed to the children's Christmas, and on resolution offered by Vice-Chairman Paul Rardin, the commission officially made public its thanks.

SELL ADS IN WFB

The advertising staff of the Pahokee High School 1950 Year Book spent Tuesday in West Palm Beach soliciting ads for the book. Included in the group were Billy Ray Mosley, Glen Boland, David Ramey, Stanley Hooks, Russel Sims, Miss Johanna McKinstry and Miss Barbara Wilkinson.

Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Jr. Gives Mission Study

Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Jr., presented a study of the third chapter of the mission study text, "Missionaries in Roman," at a meeting of the Lottie Moon Circle, First Baptist WMU, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Stevens, Sr., Monday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Caraway was in charge of the devotional program. Mrs. M. A. Gay of Miami and Mrs. Ralph Grimes, WMU president, were visitors. Mrs. Stevens presided at the business and was assisted with the serving of refreshments to 12 by Mrs. W. H. Rogers.

Canal Point PTA In Its Monthly Meeting

The Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association conducted its February meeting in the school auditorium Monday night with Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, president, presiding.

Rev. Earl J. Jones, program chairman, introduced the Pilgrim Trio, radio entertainers, who presented a program of songs.

Mrs. Lon Adams announced the first study of the PTA manual would be held at the school on Thursday at 8 p. m. The monthly attendance banner was won by Mrs. Marvel Griffith's third grade room.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove, Mrs. Archie Smith and Mrs. L. V. McClelland, hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCurdy and sons, Charles and Willard, were business visitors in Tampa Saturday.

Monday Meetings For WSCS Circles

Two Circles of the Pahokee First Methodist WSCS will meet on Monday, Jan. 16, at 8 p. m.

The Mary Martha Circle meets at the home of Mrs. Lewis Friend, with Mrs. Clyde Alley assisting as co-hostess.

The Gertrude Shirley Circle meets at the home of Mrs. L. J. Fraser, with Mrs. Leon Spooner assisting as co-hostess. Mrs. A. D. Beverly will present the program and Mrs. E. F. McIlwain, president, will preside at the business session.

Baked Foods Sale Scheduled Saturday

The Canal Point Methodist WSCS will sponsor a baked foods sale in the Sunday school building Saturday, Jan. 14, starting at 11 a. m. Mrs. Donald Kepp is chairman in charge of arrangements.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Thomas of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Stephen Wayne, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Beardsley (Hannah York) of Clewiston announce the birth of a son, David Lewis, at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach, Dec. 28.

Michael Maxson Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Earl Maxson entertained at her home recently with a lawn party for her son, Michael, who was celebrating his fifth birthday anniversary. Candy baskets and horns were presented to the guests as party favors. Mrs. J. P. Parker assisted the hostess with the serving of refreshments to approximately 25 children.

Special Meeting

No meeting of the Pahokee Rotary club was held yesterday (Thursday) but members will go to Belle Glade today for an inter-city meeting which will be held at the regular meeting place—the American Legion Hall. The district governor will visit the Pahokee club on Thursday, Jan. 19.

Melvin Herndon Has A Birthday Party

Mrs. Park Keen entertained at her home Wednesday evening with a surprise dinner party for her son, Melvin Herndon, who was celebrating his eleventh birthday anniversary. Mrs. Keen was assisted with the entertaining by her daughter, Miss Myrna Herndon. Guests included Jay Snyder, Jack Stanley, Kenneth McIntosh, Skeets Salvatore and Melvin's sisters, Marilyn and Gwendolyn. Following dinner Melvin and his guests enjoyed the show at the Prince Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott were guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Doolittle and family in Belle Glade Sunday.

Classified Ads

LAUNDRY — Family bundles, damp wash 8 cents lb., rough dry 10 cents lb., 12 lb. minimum. Also machines for Self Service. Vee Gee Self Service Laundry, next door to Geiger Lumber Co. OS

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 126. J11ch

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The Eppeley Sisters Gospel Quintette of Manchester, Pa., will appear at the Canal Point Methodist Church Sunday, January 21, at 3 p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

The five sisters render a deeply spiritual program featuring vocal quintettes, soprano and alto solos, artistic piano-playing and numbers on the following instruments:—Vibra-Harp, Violin, Electric Hawaiian Guitar, Saxophone, Accordians and Cathedral Chimes. These five sisters are known from Coast to Coast and also in Canada. They are widely used in Youth for Christ Rallies.

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Some of the girls are graduates of Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois, others, of the Dunmire School of Music, Harrisburg, Pa., and at present all are special vocal students of Messiah Bible College, Grantham, Pa.

The public is cordially invited to attend and is urged to come early.

Garden Circles To Meet Next Week

Community Garden Club Circles are scheduled to meet Tuesday, Jan. 17, as follows:

The Poinsettia Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Max Beverly at 1:30 p. m.

The Ixora Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Thomas Elliott at 3 p. m., with Mrs. C. M. Todd and Mrs. Leo Maxwell assisting as co-hostesses.

The Hibiscus Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Abe Dobrow at 10 a. m.

The Gardenia Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Anderson Chastain at 9:45 a. m. At the roll call each member present will name a tree mentioned in the Bible. Plants will be identified and exchanged at all the meetings.

REGULAR MEETING

A regular meeting of the Local Union No. 628 will be held at 7:30 p. m. tonight in the Union Hall on Barfield Highway in Pahokee, according to Percy Teeters, secretary.

O. B. McClure was a business visitor in Tallahassee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Inman W. Weeks and their house guests, Dr. and Mrs. Carlisle Hubbard, of Cambridge, Md., were visitors in Clewiston Monday.

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Canal Point Missionary Baptist

Rev. Arthur Wilde
Supply Pastor

SUNDAY

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training Union, 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Tone Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every second Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.
General W. M. U. meeting every third Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

Auxiliary Day.

WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.
G. A.'s, 3:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY

Annie Jones Circle of W. M. U. Meets first Thursday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Stewards Meet

The Board of Stewards of the Pahokee First Methodist Church will meet at the church Thursday, Jan. 19, at 8 p. m.

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Rev. Earl J. Jones

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal Wed. 7:30 p. m.

Board To Meet

The Pahokee First Methodist Church School Board will meet at the church Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 8 p. m., with Jack Spencer, superintendent, presiding.

Christian Science Society

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"LIFE" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, January 15.

The Golden Text is: "Now that the dead are raised, even Moses shewed at the bush, when he calleth the Lord the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. For he is not a God of the dead, but of the living

for all live unto him" (Luke 20:37, 38).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "My flesh and my heart faileth: but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever" (Ps. 73:26).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is divine Life, and Life is no more confined to the forms which reflect it than substance is in its shadow. If life were in mortal man or material things, it would be subject to their limitations and would end in death. Life is Mind, the creator reflected in His creations" (331:1-6).

Ministers Meet

The Glades Ministerial Association met at the Clewiston Methodist Church Monday morning, with Rev. and Earl J. Jones, pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church, presiding. Rev. Bane was in charge of the devotional program.

Following the regular meeting the group of Glades ministers went to the Clewiston High School where a demonstration was given of the audiovisual educational program being practised in that school. A motion picture of South Pacific scenes was shown to the group during the luncheon in the school cafeteria.

Philathea Class

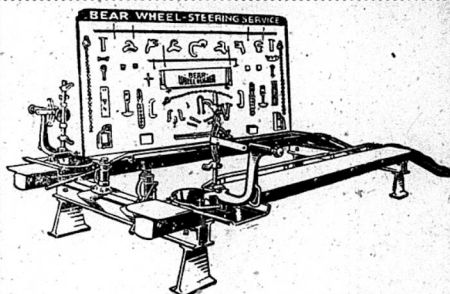
The Philathea Class of the First Baptist Sunday school met on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. H. J. Clause, with Mrs. H. C. Graham, president, presiding.

It was announced that members of the losing team in the recent contest will entertain the winning team at a chicken supper on Jan. 20. Plans for visitations were discussed. Mrs. W. W. McCurdy presented a study from the "Romans." Miss Caraway, teacher of the class, led in prayer. Refreshments were served by the hostess to 17.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pope have as their guest her cousin, Miss Nina Moon of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Morgan Mullis was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Kate Haralson, in West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Marvin Vandegrift is a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital this week.



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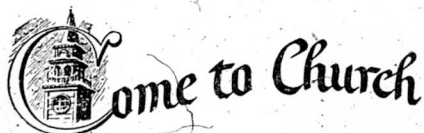
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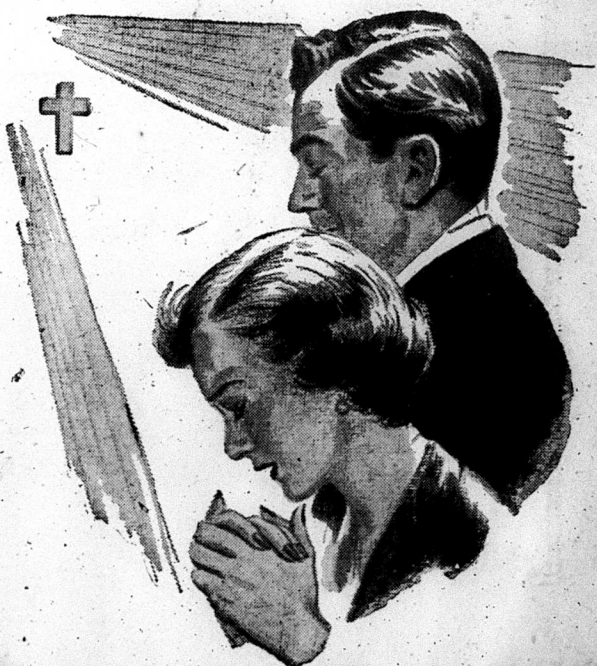
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The churches of the Everglades extend a warm welcome to every person to attend church on Sunday. You'll get a deep satisfaction out of attending the church of your choice. With the beginning of a New Year there is no better time than NOW to make a resolution to do a better job attending church in 1950 than you did in the year past. You'll personally enjoy the wonderful messages of faith which are in store for you during this good year ahead. Today, make a resolution that one hour out of the week's 168 will be devoted to church services. Can you do less? Watch the columns of The Everglades News for church announcements weekly. The Lake Region is blessed with a group of fine churches. Your attendance will make the work of these churches more successful.

Churches Of The Glades

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